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should and will Warrant and forever defend
Presents of which negroes and Still I the said
Robert Liveret have put the said William Rogers in full
possession by delivering him one Iron pot at the sealing
and Delivery hereof In Witness I have hereunto set my
hand and Seal- affixed my seal this twenty sixth day of
March One Thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven
Signed Sealed & Delivered) his
In Presence of } Robert R Liveret (Seal)
Jeremiah Hamilton } mark
John Malone- } Proved 26.th March March 1787
and Recorded-----

State South Carolina 1459841
Know All Men by these presents that I John Inlow in the
State of South Carolina Ninety six District is for and in
Consideration of the sum of twenty five pounds Sterling to
him in hand paid at and before the sealing and Delivering
of these presents by John Jenkins of Union County
aforesaid the Receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge
have Bargained and Sold by these presents do Bargain Sell
and Deliver unto the said John Jenkins seven head of Cattle
and two feather Beds and furniture and five head of Hogs
to Have and To Hold the Said seven head of Cattle and
feather Beds and furniture and hogs unto the said John
Jenkins his Executors administrators, and assigns, to him
and their only proper use and behoof ever, and I the said
John Inlow my heirs Executors, administrators the said
Bargained Premises unto the said John Jenkins his
Executors, administrators, and assigns against all persons
Shall and will warrant and for ever defend by these
presents. In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand
and Seal dated in August on the fifteenth day in the year
of Our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Six, and
in the tenth year of the Independence of the

States of America.
and Delivered) his
In the presence of } John X Inlow (Seal)
David Hudson } mark
Proved and Recorded 26th March
of June--1787-----

State of So..Carolina Ninety Six District
Know All Men by these presents that Holland Sumner of the
State and District aforesaid. Have Bargained and Sold to
Colonel Thomas Brandon of the State and District aforesaid
in plain and open Market all and Singular my household
Furniture Consisting of five feather Beds and Furniture
thirty two pewter plates four Dishes Six Basons Two Chests
two Tables Together with my Stock of Cattel three grown
Cows five Small Cattel also Hogs marked with a Half
Moon in Each Ear and Slit in the Right being about thirty
Head also five Head of Brood Horses four of them white
and One Bay also four Negroes by names as follows Viz. One
Woman Called Bet, One Called Rose one Boy Called Jack
One Called Harbard together with all my plantation Tools
and Crop of all kinds now Grow--ing for and in
Consideration of the sum of two Hundred pounds Sterling
in hand paid at and before the Sealing and Delivery of these
presents the Receipt whereof I do acknowledge myself fully
Satisfied and paid which Goods and Chattels I do warrant
to the said Colonel Thomas Brandon his Heirs and assigns
from me my Heirs Execu--tors administrators, and assigns
and from the Just Claim Challenge and Demand of all persons
what--soever by putting the said Colonel Thomas Brandon
in full possession of all and Singular the within
mentioned by delivering the Beds and Pewter in Lien
of all herein Contained in Witness Whereof I have set my
hand and Seal this fifth day of April August One thousand
seven hundred and

Eighty four and in the ninth year of American
Independence his
Test Holland C Summer (Seal)
James Woodson mark

August the fifth then Received of Colonel Thomas Brandon
the sum of two hundred pounds Sterling it being the
full for all my moveable Estate as witness my hand and
Seal.
Test his
James Woodson Holland C Summer
mark
Proved and Recorded 26th June 1787

In the Name of God Amen.. I George Martin of nine-ty
Six District and State of South Carolian Being weak of
body but sound mind and memory thanks be to almighty god
Calling to mind that is appointed for all men once
to die do make and ordain this my Last will and testament
in manner and form following, that is to say Imprimis
I Do hereby lend to my beloved Wife Susanna Dureing her
Natural Life the use of four hundred and forty acres
of Land being atract which I Surveyed on the Waters of
Gilkeys Creek Joyning the Land of James Martin Des-
-eased Ridarus Clark and Robert Montgomery as also the
use of my three Negroman Slaves known by the names of
Stephen Matt and Boson as also the use of all the rest
of my personal Estate of what Nature kind or Quality
so ever Dureing her Natural Life Immediately after her
Decease I give and Devise to my two sons Wyly
and Randolph the above four hundred and forty acres
of Land and to their heirs and assigns for Ever to be
Equally Devided Between them by a line to begin on the
said Clarks Line and Ext--ended to the Back line so as
to make a Equal Division and the part that Includes
Clarks Branch and Joins Robert Montgomery is the part of
the said land intended for Wyly- Wyly and the other part
for the said Randolph. I give and devise to my
Reputed son Joseph John and to his heirs and assigns for
ever four Hundred acres of land including a place known
by the name of Reubens ponds. I Give and Devise to my
Daughter Anne an to her heirs and Assigns forever two
hundred acres of Land which I surveyed on the waters
of Abbitons Creek including Ledbetter's Improvements and
Immediately after the Decease of my said Wife Susanna
I give and Devise to my said son Joseph John and to his
heirs and assigns for ever one Neg/r/oman Slave
Called

Called Stephen I Give and Devise unto my said son Wyly
and to his Heirs and assigns fo Ever One Negro man Slave
known by the Name of Matt I Give and Devise to my said
son Randolph and to his Heirs and assigns for ever One
Negro man Slave Called Boson and Immediately after the
Decease of my said Wife Susanna I Give and Devise all
the rest and Residue of my Estate of What Nature kind
or Quality soever which I shall be possed with or
entitled to hereafter after the Decease of my said Wife
Susanna to be Equally Devided to and amongst my three
said sons Joseph John Wyly and Randolph and my said
Daughter Anne share and share alike to them and their
Heirs and assigns for ever and Lastly I Do Nominate
Constitute and appoint my said Wife Susanna and my
Brother Philemon Martin Executors to this my Last will
and Testament Hereby Revoking Disannulling and Makin Void
altoge-- Wills and testaments by me Heretofore
made and published In Witness Whereof I have hereunto
set my Hand and Seale this Eighth day of July one
thousand seven hundred and Eighty five
Signed sealed published,)
and pronounced and)
Declared by the testator) George Martin (Seal)
as and for his Last Will)

and Testament)
In Presence of)
John Harrington)
Richmond Terrell)
George Petty)
Thomas Pettey)

Know All Men by these presents that I Daniel Trammel
Eldest son and Heir at Law of Daniel Trammel Deceased for
and in Consideration of the sum of one thousand pounds
Sterling Good and Lawful money of the state of South
Carolina to him in hand well and truly paid by Charles
Sims Esquire of the County of Union and State aforesaid
have Bargained sold and Delivered unto the said Charles

Charles Sims Esquire Seven Negroes and their Issue known
by the names of Cook, Diniah, Cate, James, Luce, and Sua,
to have and to hold and Singular the said Negroes and
their Issue thereunto them belonging or in any wise
appertaining in and by these presents Bargained and sold
Unto the said Charles Sims his heirs Executors administrators,
and assigns to the Only proper use and behoof of him the
said Charles-Sims-- Sims Esquire his Heirs and assigns
for ever and the said Daniel Trammel Eldest son and heir
at Law of Daniel Trammel Deceased do hereby for himself
his heirs Executors administrators and assigns Covenant
Grant and agree to and with the said Charles Sims his
heirs Executors administrators and assigns that against
him his heirs Executors administrators and assigns and
against all and Every other person or persons whatsoever
shall and will warrant for ever Defend the aforesaid
Negroes and their Issue unto the said Charles Sims his
heirs Executors administrators and assigns In Witness
Thereof the said Daniel Trammel Eldest son and heir at
Law of Daniel Trammel Deceased have hereunto these
presents Set his hand and seale this 24th. day of
September Anno. Domini 1787 and of the Independence of
the United of America the twelfth
Signed Sealed and Delivered
In the presents of----- Daniel Trammel (Seale)
John Ewart
William Birdsong

Received this 24th. September 1787. of Charles Sims
£ 100..0..0 the Consideration money for the with Bill of
sale for the said Negroes therein mentioned I say
Received by me
Test
John Ewart

Daniel Trammel

In the Name of God amon: I John Warters of Union County
and State of South Carolina planter Being weak in Body
But of a sound Memory Blessed Be god for it do this tenth
day of August In the Year of our lord one thousand seven
hundred and Eighty six rake and publish this to be my
Last will and testament Revoking all others (VIZ) first
I Recommend my Soul to almighty God Who Gave it; also
my Body to the Direction of my Executors In hopes they
will decently Bury it I give and Bequeath Unto my Brother
Moses Warters atract of Land lying on thickety Creek
whereon the said Moses Warters now Lives Containing one
hundred and thir-ty three acres and on third of an acre
also I leave him my wearing Cloaths and all the Remainder
of my Estate Except a Negro fellow Named Lewis which
Negro I Give to my Sisters son Thomas Ownbey and Case
the said Negro Lewis should Regue to go to the said
Ownby I will that my Brother Moses Warters should sell
the said negro and Return the sum to the said Thomas
Ownbey I Appoint my Brother Moses Warters my Only hole
and sole Execute of this my Wordly Estate
In Testimony Whereof I have Hereunto set my hand and
affixed my seale the Year and date first above Written
Signed Sealed and delivered In Presence of.

Test
James Terrell
Thomas Wright
James Birdsong

John Warters
(Seale)

Know all Men by these presents that I Thomas Brandon of the State of South Carolina Union County have Bargained Sold and Delivered to James Adams McCool one Negro boy about four Years old Called Abraham for and in Consideration of the Sum of one Guinea to me in hand well and truly paid the Receipt whereof is hereby, acknowledged which Negro Boy Abraham

I do warrant and will for ever defend to the said James Adams McCool his heirs Executors and assigns from me My Heir Execute and assigns and from and against all other person and persons whatsoever in writing Whereof I have set my Hand and Seal this 24th. September 1787

Test
William Johnson } Thomas Brandon (Sealed)
Joseph Howard } Received the sum of one Guinea
William Hughes } this 24th. September being it
full the above Consideration by
me Thomas Brandon
Test-----
William Johnson

South Carolina

Know all Men by these presents that I John Steen of Union County South Carolina am Held and firmly bound unto Charles Miles of State and County aforesaid in the full and Just sum of Eight hundred pound Sterling Money, Good and lawful to be paid unto the Said Charles Miles his Certain Attorney Executors administrators or assigns; to which payment well and truly to be made and done. I bind myself and Each and Every of my heirs Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents. Sealed with my seal and dated the this tenth day of November in the Year of Our lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty six and in the Eleventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

The Condition of the above Obligation is Such, that if the above bound John Steen his heirs Executors and administrators, shall and do well and truly make or Cause to be made unto the above Named Charles Miles Good and Sufficient Right to a Certain tract of land Containing Six hundred acres Situate lying on thickety Joining John

John Thomson and Francis Lattimore Includes the Mill Shole the Right to be made in Six months from date hereof then the above Obligation to be Void or Else to Remain in full force and Virtue

Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of
Frances Lattimore }
his } John Steen (Seale)
Phillip S Shavour }
mark } Proven in open court by
the Oaths of Francis Lattimore
& Phillip Shavour, & Recorded, the
Twenty fifth day of September 1787,--

Know All Men by these presents that John Nuckols of Craven County and Ninety six District am Held and firmly Bound to John Davison of the district aforesaid in the full and Just sum of five hundred pounds Currency to be paid to the said John Davison his Certain attorney his heirs Ex-ecutors administrators or assigns the which paymtn well and truly to be made I bind myself my Heirs Executors and administrators firmly by these presents Sealed with My seal and dated this 27 the day of July 1774----

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound John Nuckols does well and truly make or Cause to be made to the said John Davison a good Right and

title in Law to two hundred acres of of Land on the Ridge Between thickety and Broad River formerly surveyed by William McCowen and Patterned by James Parrat Esquire Deputy Secretary of North Carolina it being the place whereon the said John Davison now Lives By or before the twentififth day of September next then the above Obligation to be Void Else to remain in full force and Virtue

Signed Sealed and Delivered
In Presence of } John Nuckols
James Brown } (Seal)
John Gilliam }

August 13th 1774 I d hereby Certify I have Received of John Davison one Note of William-McCowens and one horse which I allow at one hundred pounds Each in part of pay for the tract of Land the said Davison now lives on Will-Minter John Nuckols
October 20th 1774 Received of John Davison Ten pounds Twelve Shillings in full of a Note Payable from the Said Davison to me the note not being present John Nuckols

A Bill of Sale

Know all Men by these presents that I William Thomson of the state of South Carolina in the County of Spartanburgh Planter for the inconsideration of the sum of fifty pound Sterling to me in hand paid by me William Hendley of the County of Union and State aforesaid Planter. Whereof I do hereby acknowledg the Receipt and myself there with fully and entirely satisfied have Bargained sold and Delivered and by these presents in plain open Market according to /the/ Just and due form of Law in that, Case made and provided do bargain sell and Deliver unto the said William Hendley one Negro Girl about Eight Years Old Named Suza to have and to hold, the said Bargained Negro Girl unto the said William Hendley to him his Certain attorney Executors administrators or assigns to the only proper use and behoof of him the said William Hendley his Executors administrators and assigns forever and I the said William Thomson for myself /my/ Executors administrators the said Bargained Negro Girl Suza unto the said William Hendley his Executors administrators and assigns against all and

and all manner of persons shall and will warrant and for Ever defend by these presents in Witness Whereof together with the delivery of the Bargained Negro have here unto set my hand and seale this first day of December in the Year One thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven

In the presence
of }
William Bostick } William Thomson (Seale)
Richard Thomson }

April 27th 1788
South Carolina) Know all Men by these presents that I
Union County) Robert Linn of the County aforesaid
bath sold and Delivered Adam Thomson one pided Cow on
white Cow and Yearlen one Black Cow With a White face
and Calf one Mare Branded with a hook one bed and
furniture one pot and pen for and Inconsideration of
Twenty pound Sterling to said Linn in hand paid the
Receipt Whereof acknowledged

Test
Josiah Tanner } Robert Linn
James Thom/p/son }

Know all Men by these presents tha I James Henry of South Carolina Barkley County and Amelia Township am Held and firmly Bound unto Richard Hughes of the same Province and Craven County; or to his heirs or assigns the full and Just sum of five hundred pounds. Current money of South Carolina to be paid unto the said Richard Hughes his heirs Executors Administra--tors or assigns to which

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payment well and truly to be made I bind myself my Heirs Executors administr--ators and assigns firmly by these presents sealed with my seal and dated this fourteenth day of February One thou-sand seven hundred and seventy two the

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The Condition of this Obligation is such that if the above bound James Henry Shall make or Cause to be made ~~er-a-~~ a Good & lawfull Right & title unto Richard Hughes or To his heirs or assigns of and two Hundred & fifty acres of Land lying And being in the County of Craven and South Carolina it Being the land & plantation whereon Said formerly Did then the above Obligation shall be Void Else remain in full Force power and Virtue as witness my hand and seale the Day and Year firs above Written Signed sealed and Delivered in presence of } James Henry (Seale)
David George
William Hardwick

State of South Carolina)Personally Come before me William Union County-----) Hardwick and made Oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty god and saith that he was a subscribing Witness to the within Bond with David George sworn to and subscribed before me the 25th. Day of September 1787 William Hardwick
Thomas Brandon J.P.

Know all Men by these presents that I John/ Steen of the province of South Carolina am held and firmly Bound to David Stockton of the provence of North Carolina/a/ and County of Roan, and- in the Just and full sum of Ten thousand Pound Current money of South Carolina to be paid to the said David Stockton to his heirs Executors administrators and assigns at or upon the first day of ~~September~~ November in the Year one thousand seven hundred and Eighty, it being for Value Received of him as Witness my hand and seale this 22.d Day of October 1776-----
The

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The Condition of this Obligation is such that if the above Boundeds John Steen Dose make or Cause to made a Good and sufficient title for a Certain Tract of Land ~~lying and being upon thickety~~ clear of back Quitrents and all other Incumbrances lying and being upon thickety and Bounded as follows (VIZ) Joining the South by Land Granted to Adam Goudelock on the East by Lands Belonging to Captain James Steen which line is not to Exceed Ten Rod from his Capt. James Steen fence on the west by lands belonging to Francis Lattimore Including One hundred acres ~~be-the-same-acre-or-less~~ of Land Granted to Henry Litmore by Estimation four hundred acres be the same more or less, to the said David Stockton his heirs or assigns on or before the first day of November which Shall be in the Year of our lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty three the above Obligation to be Void Else to remain in full force and Virtue Signed Sealed and Delivered) } John Steen (seale)
In presence of-----) Proven in open court &
John Buckols Recorded the 25.th
John Thompson } Sept.. 1787.

To all to whom these presents shall come I Garland Hardwick do send Greeting Know ye that I the said Garland Hardwick of the county Union and State of South Carolina Ninety six District planter for and In Con--sideration of the good will and affection which I have and bear toward my Loving Nancy Hardwick Taylor of the same County and State and presents do freely Give and Granted and by these Hardwick Taylor and the heir of her Body for ever and in default of such Heirs to fall to my Sister Nancy Taylor her mother and the Heirs of her Body for ever one Negroe Girl

Name

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Named Moriah and all her increase forever of which these presents I have Delivered her the said Nancy Hardwick Taylor with my own hand the above mention-ed Negro Girl Named Moriah to and for the use above written to her and her heirs Executors or administ-rators from henceforth as her and their proper Negro Absolutely without any manner of Condition in Witness whereof I have hereunto Put my hand and seal this tenth day of October One thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven: Signed Sealed and Delivered In presence of Us.

William Hardwick
her
Nancy X Daniel
mark
her
Molloy X Hardwick
mark

Garland Hardwick (Seale)

In the /Name/ of God amen I William Wafford of Union County in the State of South Carolina being of Sound & disposing Mind Memory & understanding do make & publish this my Last will & Testament of and concerning the worldly Estate it hath pleased God to bless me with in Manner & form following (VIZ)
Imprimis my will is that after my Funeral charges and all my Just Debts are fully Satisfyed & paid I give & bequeath Unto my Son Absalom One shilling Sterling Money Item I give & Bequeath Unto my Daughter Eleasabeth Rhodes One Shilling Sterling Money Item I give & bequeath Unto my Daughter Hannah Merchant One Shilling Sterling. Item I give & bequeath Unto my Daughter Mary Brian One Shilling Sterling Item I give & bequeath Unto my beloved Wife Abigail all the Remainder of my Estate both real & personal whether in this State or else where to be enjoyed by her during her natural Life and after her her decease I do give & bequeath all the aforesaid part of my Estate which I Bequeathed Unto my Wife Abigail
aforesaid

Abigail aforesaid Unto my beloved Daughter Rebeckah and /her/ heirs & assigns forever & Lastly I do nominate and appoint my beloved daughter Rebeckah Executrix of this my Last will and Testament, and do hereby Revoke and Disamill all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made and Declare this to be my Last and Only Will dated this Twenty eighth day of March in the in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred & Eighty Seven & the Eleventh Year of American Independence his
Signed Sealed Published & declared) Willm. W Wafford (Seal)
by the above named Wafford to be his Last will & Testament in the presence of us who at his request did Subscribe Our names in the presence of each Other as Witnesses to the Same
his
Jeremiah X Wilson
mark
Ambrose Yarborough
Thos. Tod

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Know all Men by these presents that I Thos. Brandon of the State So. Carolina Union County have Bargained Sold & by these presents do bargain Sell & Deliver to Daniel White a Negro Girl about two & half year old called Paris for and in consideration of the Sum of Thirty pounds to me in hand paid by the Said Daniel White the Ant. whereof is hereby acknow.-ledged which Negro girl I do Warrant & for ever defend to the Said Daniel Whit 's heirs & assigns from me my heirs & assigns & from all & every Other person in Witness where-of I have Set my hand & Seal this 8th. day of November 1787.
Jeremiah Gregory Thos. Brandon (Seal)

Know all Men by these presents that I Benjamin Gilbert of the State of South Carolina Newberry County have Bargained & Sold & by these presents do Bargain and Sell unto James Bell of the State aforesaid & County of Union in plain & Open market One Pybald Stallion Branded On the Mounting Shoulder thus (4) on the high Pullock this 21 and Bay Mare four years Old Branded On high Shoulder thus B. 2 Sables & One pure Saddle walets for an in consideration of the Said James Bell being Special Bail for Jonathan Gilbert to William Shaw /Esq./ & Costs of Suit in the Sum of fifty pounds Sterling for the Dischargeing & paying a Sum of Money Due from Said Gilbert to William Shaw and costs of Suit therein that case if the Said Benjamin Gilbert does keep Said Bill clear & pay the Debt and Costs so as James Bell Shall not Suffer then the this Bill of Sale be Void Otherwise the Bill of Sale and the property to finally be Good & all the property to be the Sale Right of the Said James Bell forever & that Said Benjamin Gilbert Shall & will forever Defend Said property to Said James Bell from all persons whatsoever Given under my hand & Seal this 24.th June 1789
Daniel Jackson Benjamin Gilbert (Seal)
Thos Brandon

Recorded the first. Oct. 1789-----

In the name of God amen

I. James Prince of Union County and state of South Carolina being Weske in body but of Sound mind and dispose-ing memory. Do Constitute and make this my Last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say Item first to my well bloved wife Susely I give and bequeath one bay mare named Bounce One bedstead bed and furniture Called Our bed & three pewter plates and one Small Dish two Cows and yearlings one ax and one dutch Oven two Iron Wedges One Cotton wheel and Cards one Linnin Wheel it is also my will and desire that my beloved wife do Love On and Enjoy her benefits of my plantation during her Natural life or Widowhood then in case of her death or Marriage to descend as hereafter described Item)

2nd.) I Give and bequeath to my Loving son Edward all my Lands and tenements Exclusive of his Mothers Right mentioned before and it is my will and Desire that all my Lawful Debts, be paid & that the Ballance of all my Estate Personal be Equally Divided amongst my respective Children namely John Elizabeth Bane Scisely Joice Mary Ruth Esther and Edward.

3.dly } I Do Constitute and appoint my trusty and well beloved wife an Thomas Greer Senr. to be Executors of this my Last will and testament Witness my Hand and Seal this 14th.. day of August Anno-1789.

Test his
Elijah H Cooper James X Prince (Seal)
his mark
Thomas Winn
mark

Recorded the 28th.. Sepr. 1789-

So Carolina.

Know all Men by these Presents that I John Briggs of Union County in the State aforesaid an laid and obliged to Thomas Tod of Spartan-burgh County in the State aforesaid in the Penal Sum of One Hundred Pounds Sterling to which Payment well and truly to be made I Bind myself my Heirs and assigns firmly by these Presents Sealed with my seal and Dated this 15th Day of March 1787

The Condition of the above obligation is Such that if the above Bounded John Briggs his Heirs or assigns should well and truly pay to the above named Thomas Tod his Heirs or assigns for the Rent of his two Plantations Viz the----- Plantation on which the said John Briggs now lives on and the Plantation which the said Tod purchased of John----- Martindill for the Rent of the said two Plantations for this present year the Sum of Ten Guineas on or before the

25th Day of December next, also deliver up both the said Plantations to the said Thomas Tod on the aforesaid 25th Day of Decem.b next, in as good order as they are now in the aforesaid Ten Guineas to be paid in Tobacco at the market Price or waggoning at the common rates then this obligation to be void or else to remain in full force Witness

Peter Chastain
Richard Burges

John Briggs (L S)

~~THESE PRESENTS ARE HEREBY REVOKED~~

Know All Men by These Presents that we Phoebe Wells widow of Elijah Wells Dec.d and Larken Wells heir of the said Elijah Wells dec.d for and in Consideration of the sum of Twenty seven pounds ten Shillings Virginia Money To them in hand paid by George McWhorter of the state of So. Carolina Union County at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt and payment whereof we the said Phoebe Wells and Larken Wells both heroby acknowledge hath bargained and sold unto the said George McWhorter part of a Tract of Land Containing One hundred acres be the same more or less lying on the south side of Peeblet River & state of South Carolina and County of Union Beginning at a Red Oak on the Bank of said River on the Lower line of ad. land where the land Crosses said River thence S. 130 Poles to a white Oak which is the Beginning corner of said Tract thence W. 180 poles to a pine thence N. 0 To the River the the Various Courses of the River to the Beginning according to a Deed of Conveyance made by Jno. Steen to the said George McWhorter bearing date the 10.th day April

the 10.th day of April 1783 and in the Twelfth year of America Independence Together with all Rights Title Claims or demand whatsoever of said land and being possessed of said Land Under the Colour of said John Steen's Title for 18 years past Do hereby makeover all Rights of possession to the said Geo McWhorter his heirs Exors. & adms. or assigns ~~for the Consideration above said~~ forever & the we the said Phoebe Wells and Larken Wells for Our selves Our heirs Exors. & adms. or assigns for the Consideration above mentioned both relinquish all Rights of ~~our~~ Possession to said George McWhorter his heirs & forever and from Our heirs & will warrant and forever Defend all Our Right Title Claim and Demand with Rights of possession both now and forever In Witness whereof the we the said Phoebe & Larken Wells hath hereunto set Our hands and seals this Tenth day of April 1788

Signed Sealed & Delivered) her
In the presence of } Phoebe X Wells (seale)
John McWhorter } mark
Abner Wells } his
George Wells } Larken X Wells (seal)
mark

Recorded the 23.d June 1788-----

In the Name of God amen I William Young of Spartanburgh County ninety six District in the state of South Carolina being in body but in perfect mind and Memory thanks be to God for it do make Ordain Constitute and appoint this my last will and Testament in manner & form following and first I remit my soul into the hands of almighty God who gave it and my body to be buried in a Christian like & Decent/ manner at the Direction of my Exors. hereafter named hoping at the General Resorection I may receive the same Through the Merits of Jesus Christ my Blessed Saviour and redeemer

I express my will that my funeral Expences and all my Just and Lawful Debts shall be paid by my Exors. Item I Give and bequeath to my wife and seven children my plantation On Monroe where I now live on for them to love on and Cultivate ~~fall~~ till/ my youngest son named Thos. comes of age

Item It is my will and Desire that my Wife Margaret shall have her living of off the said Plantation as long as she lives; Item it is my will and Desire that at the death of my wife or when my youngest son Comes of age the plantation on where I now live on shall be sold and the price thereof be Equally Divided amongst my seven Son Viz Samuel Adam William James John Joseph and Thomas share and Share alike but In Case Either of my sons should Die without Lawful Issue their parts is to be divided amongst the surviving Brothers; Item it is my will and Desire that my lands shall be Sold that is On Harbors Creek in Laurence County to Defray the Expenses of Educating /of/ my children; Item ~~It is my will and Desire~~ as I am Entitled to an Estate consisting of Thirty Thousand pounds sterling in the West Indians which is now in the hands of Doctor Andre Arvin Esq. of the Island of Granada which sum when got or any part thereof I Give to be Equally divided amongst my seven Sons as aforesaid-----

Lastly I Constitute Nominate and appoint my beloved Wife Margaret Young Executrix and Col. d Thos Brandon of fairforest Exor. of this my last will and Testament Utterly disannulling disallowing and revoking all Other wills and testaments and Own this only to be my will and testament whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Thirteenth day of Octr One thousand seven hundred and Eighty Seven Signed sealed pronounced and Declared by the said William Young to be his last will and testament in the presence of Us

his
Hugh x McWilliams
mark

his
Jeremiah x Moore
mark

I Jorah Vines

children Given Under my hand this 13th. day Oct. o 1787-
his

Hugh x McWilliams
mark

his
Jeremiah x Moore
mark

I Jorah Vines

William Young (seal)

I do hereby Nominate-----
Constitute and appoint my
well beloved Brother in
Law John O'Neil to be
Guardian Over the above
Exors. -as also Over the---
bodies of my children
beseeching him to do for
them / in all respects/
as if they were his Own

Wm Young (seal)

Recorded the 25th. Sepr. 1788

Know all Men by these presents that I William White of the State of S. Carolina and County of Union admr. of Christopher Coleman Deceased do make Ordain and appoint & by these presents do make Ordain Constitute and appoint Thos. Stribling Junr. of the state & County aforesaid my Juce and Lawfull attorney for me & in my name and for my Use to ask for ~~the said~~ receive and recover from any person who maybe possessed of Three Negroes One Woman about 18 years Old named Phoby and her Increase Dick aboy about 15 Years of age & Ned about Thirteen years old Giving and Granting my said Att..r my whole and sole power and authority to act for me and in my name in all things that is Lawful Concerning said Negroes as fully as Though I were personally present myself and Lastly that the said Thos. Stribling is Invested with a full Legal power and authority of signing Receipts or acquittances in my name for the said Negroes above mentioned In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the sixth day of Sepr. 1788

Teste
Clayton Stribling

recorded the 26th day of Sep. 1788.

William White (seal)

Know all Men by these presents that I Wm. White of the State of SoCarolina and County of Union have Bargained and sold in plain and Open Market Unto Thos. Stribling Jun..r of the County and State aforesaid Three Negroes One a Woman Named Phoby and her Increase Dick and Ned for and in consideration of the sum of Two-hundred pounds sterling to me in hand well and Truly paid at and before the sealing and Delivery of these presents which said Negroes I willARRANT and forever Defind Unto the said Thos. Stribling his heirs Exors. admrs. and assigns and from the Lawfull claim and Demand of any person or persons whatsoever In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 6th.. day of Sep.r 1788-

Teste

Clayton Stribling)

Time Sent.

William White (seal)

recorded the above date 26..th Sepr. 1788

In the Name of God Amen the Eighth day of January in the year of Our lord God One thousand seven hundred and Eighty nine I Jno. Henry Reiser of south Carolina Union County ninety six District being Very sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and sound Memory thanks be to God therefore Calling to mind the Mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men Once to die do make and Ordain this my last will and Testament that is to say prin--cipally and first of all I give and reccommend my soul Into the hands of God who Gave it and for my body I reccommend it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like and decent manner at the Descretion of my Exors.. Nothing doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty power of God and as Touching such worldly Estate as it hath been pleased God to Bless me with in this life I Give and Dispose in of in the following manner & for a

Imprimis I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Henricus Lauretus Reiser my two horses and One Desk with all my Working Tools household furniture and Cloathing and Lastly I constitute and appoint my well beloved friend Daniel Wooden my only sole Executor of this my last will and Testament and I Do hereby Utterly disallow revoke and Disannull all and Every Other former Testament wills and Legacies Requests and Execution by me in any wise before this time named Willed and bequeathed Ratified, and confirmed this and no Other to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the day and year first above Written Signed Sealed & Delivered)

In the presence of

Wadlington
James Caldwell
Mark Littleton

John Henry Reiser (seal)

Recorded the 23 d March 1789-

An Inventory of the Estate of Capt. John Henry Reiser To wit to 3 Horses One a Gray and the Other a Brown Bay to 1 Desk 3 Silver Table Spoons & 2 Tea Spoons

Tea Spoons 1 Gold Watch 1 Do. Silver 1 Do.--pinchback that is now Going with a number of articles is said Desk two Pedious to Mention to 1 Clock nearly finished also all Clocks Stocks that is now in possession of me with a Number of New files that is lying in the Desk to 1 Chest two Swords One silver mounted with a new Belt & Silver Buckle with my wearing Cloaths and books in the Same to 1 Turning Bath of Iron & turning Tools suitable to such Iath with a small Box of Chisels files and punches and different Small Tools also a Number of Small Tools suitable for Silver and Gold Watch work also two Copper Silver boiling Pans to 1 Bed and furniture to 1 Copper Still about 70 Gall) to 1 bellis two small anvils two hand hammers and tongs for hammer) to 2 Looking Glasses the One small the Other larger to 1 frying pan to 1 Pot 1 Dutch Oven to 1 table and 4 Chairs 1 Pewter Dish 1 Do Earthen 4 plates & 2oz knives and forks and sundries Sundry Other

articles of household Furniture to 1 saddle to 1 Dutch
Flow
Newberry County
Ninety Six Dist.) Memorandum that I Give Unto
Merran Reddman 1 small smith 1/2 Dollars 1 small anvil
two hand hammers and two pair tongs Given under my hand
the 7th day Jan'y 1789

Thos. Henry Kayser.

Memorandum that I Give Unto Mary Caldwell for her
services done; One small peice of Cambrick 1 Chang
Cannister 1 Mahogany Box 1 Copper Ladle

John Henry Kayser

Recorded the 23.d day March 1789.-----

Know All Men by these presents that I John Weedingman
of the state of SoCarolina in the County of ~~York~~
Newberry planter for and in consideration of sixty
pounds sterling to me in hand paid by William Hendley
of the same State aforesaid and County of Union planter
whereof I do hereby acknowledge the receipt and myself
therewith fully satisfied have bargained sold and
Delivered &c and by these presents in plain and Open
Market according to the just and due form of Law in
that Case made and provided to bargain set Over and
Deliver unto the said Wm. Hendley 1 Yellow Negro Girl
named Lucy about Eleven years Old She being
Healththy sensible Clear of fits or any other Impediments
to have and to hold the said bargained negro unto the
said Wm. Hendley his heirs Exors. adors. or assigns to
the Only Use and behooff of him the said William Hendley
his heirs or assigns forever and I the said John
Weedingman for myself my Exors. adors. and assigns
the said bargained negro unto the said William Hendley
his heirs or assigns against all manner of persons
small and Will forever defend by these presents in
Witness whereof Together with the Delivery of the
bargained Negro have hereunto set my hand and Seal the
20.th day Feby. 1789

Witness
Ezekiel Stone
his
John D Morris
mark
Henal Kent.

John Weedingman (seal)

Recorded the 24. March 1789

South Carolina; In the Name of God Amen
I Ambrose Yarbrough of Union County and state afores.d-
being of sound and disposing mind Memory and Under-
standing do make and publish this my last will and
Testament of and Concerning my worldly Estate of which
God hath been pleased to bless me with in manner and
form following
Viz: My will is that my Exors. hereafter mentioned
shall make Conveyances to John Baillet Thos. Scales and
Jonathan Pennell for the several parcels of land agreeable
to my Bonds to each of them severally for the same and
take Up the said

Bonds.

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Bonds. It is also my will that my said Exors. sell
and Dispose of any part of ~~my~~ my Estate whether real or
personal as they may Judge proper for Discharging my
Just debts or the Support of my family &c. Item after
all my Just debts and Mineral Charges are Justly satisfied
and paid I give and Bequeath Unto my beloved wife Mary
all my Estate whether In this state or ~~anywhere~~ Else-
where both real and personal for the Support of herself
and children during her natural life and after her
decease I give and bequeath the whole that may there
Remain of my Estate both real and personal to my
beloved children Ann Eliza Jeremiah Yarbrough
Humphry Yarbrough John Yarbrough and Mary Yarbrough to

them their Heirs and assigns forever the Estate to be
Divided in five Equally parts each one fifth which after
my said State to divide in five Equal parts my aforesaid
Children shall draw lots each for their Choice of their
said 5..th part and Lastley I- Nominate and appoint
Stephen Layton and Peter Fennell Exors. of this my last
will and Testament and Declare all other Wills by me
at any time heretofore made to be void and this to be my
last and only will Dated in Union County and State
aforesaid August the 27..th 1788.

Signed sealed published and Declared
by the above Ambrose Yarbrough to
be his last will and Testament
In the presence of Us who at his
request/ did in His presence and
the presence of each Other subscribe
Our names as Witnesses therunto

Ambrose Yarbrough(seal)

William Hendley
his
Elijah X Alverson
mark
Thos. Tod

Recorded the day Sepr. 1788.

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In the Name of God Amen the 31..st day August
In the year of Our lord One Thousand seven hundred and
Eighty Eight I John Ewart of Union County in the State of
South Carolina being Very sick and Weak in Body but of
perfect mind and Memory thanks be to God therefore calling
to mind the Mortality of my body and that it is appointed
for all Men Once to Die do make and Ordain this my last
will and Testament that is to say principally and first of
all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of God
that Gave it and for my body I Recommend it to the Earth
to be buried in a Christian like and Decent Manner at the
Direction of my Exors.. Nothing Doubting but at the General
Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty
power of God and Touching such worldly Estate wherewith it
hath been pleased God to Bless me with in this life
I give devise and Dispose of in the following Manner and
form-

Impromis) my will and Desire is that all my Just & Lawful
Debts be Justly and lawfully paid by my Executors.)
Item; I Give and bequeath Unto my Brother Robert Ewart
living in the Kingdom of Scotland all that plantation or
tract of land Containing five hundred and Twenty four acres
lying on the Waters of Broad River and I Give and Bequeath
to him his heirs and assigns forever
Item; I Give and Bequeath to my Brother Mathew Ewart
living in the Kingdom of Scotland all that plantation or
tract of land of One hundred and fifty acres More or less
lying and Joining to Union Court House formerly Bought of
Joseph Jones, and I Give and Bequeath the same to him his
heirs and assigns forever-----
Item) I give and Bequeath Unto my Brother William Ewart
living in the Kingdom of Scotland and to his heirs and
assigns forever all that plantation and tract of land
containing nine hundred and twenty three acres---lying on
Browns Creek a Branch of Broad River.....
Item I Give and bequeath to my aforesaid Brother Mathew
Ewart all that plantation or tract of land containing
Three hundred acres lying on Fanning Creek with a mill
standing thereon with all privileges and appertenances
thereunto belonging To have and To hold the same his heirs
and assigns forever-----

(Item;)

Item; I Give and Bequeath to my two Trusty and well
beloved Friends Thomas Flasingame Esquire & Andrew
Torrence that Negro Wench of mine Called Dinah
now living at Thomas Bances; Item my will and Desire
is that the Negro fellow of mine Called Charles now in
The Possession of Throghood Chambers be sold and the
Money be disposed of at the Direction of my Executors
And I also Constitute ~~William~~ Ordain and appoint my two
Trusty and well beloved Friends Thomas Flasingame Esqr.

and Andrew Torrence the Sole Exors. of this my last Will and Testament, and I Do hereby Utterly disallow Revoke and Disannull all and Every Other and former Testaments Wills Testaments legacies and Exors.. by me In anywise before this time named Willed and Bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and Confirming this and no Other to be my last will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the day and year first above Written

Signed Sealed published
pronounced and Declared
by the said John Ewart as
his last will and Testament
In the presence of Us the
Subscribers-----

William Morgan } John Ewart (seal)
Isaac Dogan } Recorded the 23..d Sep.r 1788
Hosias Collyer }

Know all Men by these presents that I John Seamey Journey of the State of South Carolina Ninety six District planter am held and firmly bound Unto Joseph East of the State and District aforesaid In the Just and full sum of Five Thousand pounds Lawfull Money of South Carolina to be paid Unto said

Joseph

Joseph East his heirs or Exors. for the True payment Whereof I do hereby bind myself my heirs Exors. and adms.. firmly by These presents sealed with my seal and Dated this 22.d day Oct..r In the Year of Our lord One thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Two-----

The Condition of the above Obligation is Such that whereas the above Bound John Journey hath the day of the date of these presents Bargained Sold and Delivered Unto the above Joseph East a plantation and Tract of Land containing 300 acres as appears by the patterns for which the said Joseph East hath Given his Bond for six hundred pounds to be paid in two different payments Now if the above John Journey his heirs or Exors.. shall make or Cause to be made a Good sufficient Lawfull and Undensable Title to the above plantation and tract of Land so that the said Joseph East or his heirs shall be satisfied and Contented therewith the same to be made Unto said East his heirs or assigns at or Upon the 23.d day of December 1783. that is to say at the payment of the last Sum Mentioned to the Bond Given to said Journey that then and in that Case the above Obligation is void and of None Effect Otherwise to Remain in full force and Virtue Signed sealed and delivered in full force and Virtue for the purpose Within Mentioned in the presence of

Alex.d MacDougal } his
James Crawford } John W Journey (seal)
Recorded the mark
24..th of March 1789

Know all Men by these presents that I Wm.. Clayton of Union County planter have bargained and Sold and by These presents do bargain and Sell Unto Thos. Blasingame Esqr. a Certain Negro Man named Cambridge In Consideration of the sum of seventy pounds Sterling to me in hand paid by the said Thos. Blasingame To have and To hold the said Negro to him his heirs and assigns forever provided Nevertheless that the Said

that if I the said William Clayton shall well and Truly pay to the said Thos. Blasingame Nine Thousand Weight of Tobacco according to the Tenor and Effect of Two Certain Notes of Hand Given by me to him In February last then the above Bill of sale to be Void and of No Effect and the said Thos. on his part Both agree that the said Negro Shall Continue In my possession Until I Shall fail In the payment of Either of the said "otas and nolonger

In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my Hand and Seal this 27..th day of March 1789.

In Presence of)
D. B Rowne) William Clayton (seal)
Haml. Sont.) Recorded the 28th.. March 1789..

Know All Men by these presents that I Wm.. Merchant and Hannah his wife for and in Consideration of the Good will and Affection which We have and do bear Unto George Harling Hatter all of Us of the State of So Carolina Union County all and Singular my Goods and Chattels consisting of One bay Mare and Coult One Pether bed and Furniture three cows two Calfs two yearlings 12 head of Hogs and Every Other Our Goods and Chattles to him the said Geo Harling his heirs Exors.. adms and assigns for and in consideration of Twenty pounds Lawfull Money of said State and We the Said William Merchant and Hannah his Wife Will Warrant and Defend Unto the said Geo Harling against all and Every other person that Shall lay any Claim Unto the Said Goods and Chattles In Witness whereof We the said William Merchant and Hannah his Wife have hereunto Set Our hands and Seals This 8.th day June One Thousand seven hundred and Eighty Nine and In the Thirteenth Year of the Independance of the United States of America

Signed Sealed and Delivered) Wm O Merchant (seal)
In presence of Us) mark
Thomas Palmer Senr.) her
Duncan McCrevan) Hannah X Merchant (seal)
mark
State So Carolina
Union County-

State So. Carolina) Personally appeared Duncan McCrevan
Union County) and Thomas Palmer Senr. and Made Oath
that they saw William Merchant and Hannah his Wife sign
seal and Deliver Unto the said Thomas Palmer Senr. In behalf
of George Harling Hatter the aforesaid Bill of sail for
the Uses therein Mentioned sworn to before me the 16th..
day June 1789-----
Recorded the 22.d June 1789-

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Know all Men By these Presents that I David Hopkins in the Province of S.O Carolina and Camden District am held and firmly Bound unto Nathan Glenn of the state of Virginia Cumberland County in the full & Just Sum of one Thousand pounds sterling to be paid to the said Nathan Glenn his heirs Exors.. and adms.. firmly by these Presents In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 12th.. Day of Sep.r 1783.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above Bound David Hopkins his heirs Exors or adms.. do make or Cause to be made a Good and Lawful right in fee simple to a certain tract of Land Lying above and below the fish dam ford on Broad River the south side and bounded on the same and Known by being called Peensters land containing Two hundred and fifty acres or more but taken by the same be the same more or less also one Thousand acres of Land surveyed adjoining the above Mentioned Land also bounding on lands laid out to Isaac Simpson & on George Bells Land Williams Moor's; Widow Hollingsworth Thomas Shockleys Jno. Armstrongs & Jno. McSausins Lands and the above said David Hopkins his heirs Exors. adms.. do make or cause to be made a Good & Lawful right in fee simple to the above said Thousand acres of Land whenever he can Obtain a Big Grant for the same to him the said Nathan Glenn his heirs Exors. adms. and assigns. then the above Obligation to be Void or Else to remain in full force and Virtue Signed sealed & Delivered)

In the presence of) David Hopkins (seal)
Niles Hollingsworth) State of S.O Carolina) Personally
Union County.) appeared

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Dani. McKee
his
Wm. W. Smith
mark

before
me Wm. Smith and on his solemn

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Solemn affirmation sayeth and Disposeth that he did see
D. R. Hopkins sign seal and deliver the within Written-
bond for the use within mentioned and the Deponent
further sayeth on his affirmation that he did see Elias
Hollingsworth and Daniel McKee subscribe as witnesses
to the same, affirmed and subscribed to before me this
30..th day of December 1789 his
Chas. Sims Ju.

Wm W Smith
Mark

Recorded the 30th. Decr. 1789.

Know All men by these presents that I Isaac Edmon-son/
of Ninety six District in the State of South Carolina
farmer and am held and firmly bound unto my Brother
Caleb Edmondson, in the same place in the pennial
sum of three hundred pounds Good & lawful sterling money
to which payment, well and truly to be done & paid to
the said Caleb Edmondson his certain att.o heirs Exors.
adms. Or assigns to which payment well and truly to be
made & Done I firmly by these presents bind myself my
heirs Exors. and adms. and every of them In witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 12..th
day May 1784

The condition of the above Obligation is such that if
the above bound, Isaac Edmondson his heirs Exors or
adms. or either of them shall Do or cause to be
made and Done and conveyed unto my Brother Caleb Edmondson
his heirs Exors. or assigns an Equal part in Quality of
seven hundred acres of Land Situate on the north side of
Enoree and that by lease and Release agreeable to Law
so that the said Caleb Edmondson shall have a good right
of Inheritance in fee simple in the said premises then
the above Obligation to be void Else to remain in full
force and Virtue in law Witness my hand & Seal the year
May above written

Witnesses present.

Jno Neederman
Edward Musgrove

Isaac Edmondson (seal)

Know all men by These
Presents that, I Caleb-

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Caleb Edmondson Junr.. Junr. of the state of South
Carolina my heirs and assigns do assign over all my
Right & Title to the within Bond to John Fincher his
heirs and assigns forever In witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal this Twelfth Day of Sep..r
in the year of our lord one thousand seven hundred &
Eighty nine Caleb Edmondson (seal)

Witnesses present

Jas. Woodson
Thos. Bishop
Jno Nix

S.o Carolina } Personally before
Union County } me Chas. Sims Esqr.
} came Thomas St
} Bishop one of the

witnesses to the above assignment and saith on Oath he
was present, and did see Caleb Edmondson Junr. sign
his name to it and, deliver the same as his act & deed
& also did see Jas. Woodson and John Nix the other two
Witnesses subscribe their names also

Sworn to before me & Subscribed his name hereunto
this 25..th Day Sep.r 1789
Chas. Sims J. P.

Thos. Bishop

28.th Sep.r 1789

The State of S.o Carolina

Know all men by these Presents
aforesaid am held and firmly bound. unto Peter Renfro
of Ninety six District of S.o Carolina aforesaid in the

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full and Just sum of Two hundred and Eighty six pounds
ten shillings and eight pence sterling money to be paid
unto the said Peter Renfro his certain att.o Exors.
adms. or assigns to which payment well and truly to be
done I bind myself & each and every of my heirs Exors.
& adms. firmly by these presents sealed with my seal
dated this seventh day of Feb.y in the year of our lord
One thousand seven hundred and Eighty four

The condition of the above Obligation is such
that if the above bound Jesse Dodd his heirs Exors or
adms. shall and do well and truly make Good and sufficient
Titles for three hundred acres of Land lying & being on
Tyger river waters in ninety six District on or before
the seventh day of February which will be in the year of
our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven
without fraud or further Delay than the Obligation to be
Void and of none Effect, or else to remain in full force
& Virtue

sealed & delivered In presence of

Lewis Golsen J. P.
Jno Golsen
Lewis Bobo

S.o Carolina
Aberville
County

Jesse Dodd (seal)
Personally came
Lewis Bobo before

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before me John Hoffrett one of the Justices of said
county and being dully sworn saith that he was present
when the Within Bond was Given and said-
Dodd sign seal & deliver it to the within mentioned
Peter Renfro and that Lewis Golsen & Jno Golsen and he the
said Lewis Bobo did Witness the same sworn to & Subscribed
this 27..th May 1789

Jno Hoffrett. J. P.

Lewis Bobo

Whereas Jesse Dodd of the state of South Carolina and of
the District of Arrangburgh became bound to me Peter
Renfro of Ninety six District and state aforesaid by
bond or obligation bearing date the seventh day Feb.y
in the year of our lord one Thousand seven hundred & Eighty
four and in the Eighth year of the Independence of the
United- States of America in the penal sum of two hundred
and Eighty six pounds ten shillings & Eight pence sterling
money and conditioned by the same obligation to me the said
Peter Renfro my heirs or assigns a Sufficient title to a
tract of land whereon And.w Torrence now lives containing
Three hundred acres laying on the waters of Tyger river
in Ninety six District on or before the seventh day
February one thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven
Now Know all Men by these presents that the said Peter
Renfro for and in consideration of one hundred and twenty
pounds Sterling in hand paid before the Ensealing &
Delivery of these presents by Andrew Torrence of the
state aforesaid and County of Union the receipt and
payment whereof he the said Peter Renfro hath bargained & sold
acknowledge he the said Peter Renfro hath bargained & sold
unto the said Andrew-Torrence the said tract of Land
containing Three hundred acres on the waters of Tyger
aforesaid also do hereby assign convey & make over the
recited bonds or Obligation hereunto annexed together with
peaceable possession of the said land and all his rights
titles Interest & claims of the said land to him the
said And.w Torrence his heirs and assigns forever and
the said Peter Renfro for the consi-deration aforesaid
hath made Ordained constituted & appointed and by these
presents doth make ordain constitute and appoint the
said And.w Torrence his heirs Exors. adms. or assigns
or certain lawful attorney or attorneys under him
Irrevocable for him & his name or in the name or names
of his heirs Exors. adms. or assigns.

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but for the sole proper Use benefit and behoof of him
the said And.w Torrence his heirs and assigns forever
to ask require demand and receive of the said Jesse
Dodd the penal sum of the said Bond or a title to the
said Land the day it becomes due and on non payment
thereof to sue for the same and on payment thereof to

cancel the said Bond, and give full and sufficient discharges thereof attorneys Under him shall constitute whatsoever the said And. w Torrence shall Lawfully Do in or on the premises or any person or persons in his name or in the name or names of his heirs Exors. adms. or assigns on or upon or about the said land or any of the premises thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining I the said Peter Renfrow do hereby freely allow and confirm in witness whereof the said Peter Renfrow hath hereunto set his hand & seal the 1st. July 1788

In presence of
 his)
 Wm. X Renfrow) his
 mark) Peter P Renfrow (seal)
 Archer Smith) mark
) South Carolina)
) Aberville County) Personally came
 Archer Smith before me one of the Justices of said County and being Duly sworn saith that he was present and saw Peter Renfrow sign seal & Deliver the within Bond to the within mentioned Andrew Torrence & that Wm. Renfrow and he the said Archer Smith did Witness the same sworn to and subscrib--ed this 27th Day of May 1789
 Jno Moffret J. P.) Archer Smith

Know all men by these presents that I Caleb Edmonds of the County of Union & State of S. Carolina for divers Good causes & Considerations me herunto moving have made Ordained authorized & apoint. Andrew Torrence and John Fincher both of the county and state aforesaid my true and Lawful attorneys irrevocable for me and in my name and to my Use to ask demand sue for recover and receive of all persons whatsoever that are indebted to me all such sum & sums of money Debts Goods and Chattles whatsoever which are now due and Owing unto me the said Caleb Edmondson that maybe in Possession of any person or persons whatsoever and to have and to Use and take all Lawful Means and ways

in my

in my name or otherwise for recovery thereof by attachment arrest distress or Otherwise to agree & compound, for the same or acquaintances or other sufficient Discharges for the same for me and in my name to make seal & Deliver unto do all other Lawful acts and things whatsoever concerning the premises as fully in every respect as if I myself might or could Do it if I were personally present myself and attorneys one or more under them my said attorneys for the purpose aforesaid to make and at their pleasure to revoke ratifying and allowing all and whatsoever my said attorneys shall in my name Lawfully do or cause to be done Jointly or Severally in and about the premises by Virtue of these presents In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this first Day July 1789

Teste
 James Woodson) Caleb Edmondson (Seal)
 Sarah Gist) State of S. Carolina Union
) County W. Jas Woodson

Personally came before me Charles Sims Esquire one of the Justices of the said County and made Oath as the Law directs that he saw the within Caleb Edmondson sign seal and deliver the within power of attorney for the Use within mentioned and that he saw the within Sarah Gist witness the same sworn & Subscribed before me this 28..th Sep.r 1789-

Chas. Sims JP

James Woodson
 28.th Sep.r 1789-

Know all men by these presents that I John Steen and Nathaniel Jefferies of Union County and state of S. Carolina hath bargained & sold and by those in plain and Open Market hath bargained & sold unto

John Trimnier of the state aforesaid and county of Spartanburgh one negro man slave named Jack for and in consideration of twelve Thousand Weight of Tobacco to them in hand paid the receipt is hereby acknowledged, which said negro Jack we will warrant and forever defend

from us our heirs Exors.. adms. & assigns and from the Just Claim of all and every other person or persons whatsoever unto the said John Trimnier his heirs and assigns forever in witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands & seals the 24..th Day March 1789

sealed & Delivered)
 In Presence of) John Steen (seal)
 John Haile) his
 James Lincey Junr.) Nathl. N Jeffries (seal)
 mark

29th. Sep.r 1789.
 Meml. Sent.

Know all men by these Presents that I Benj. Clark of the state of South Carolina Union County have have bargained and sold and for the consideration of Two hundred pounds sterling to me in hand paid have barg--gained and sold unto John Haile of the state and County aforesaid two Negroes one named Chance and the Other Cezer one hundred and thirty seven acres of land including the plantation & buildings where I now live three horses four cows and calves and all my household furniture which above property I do warrant and forever defend unto John Haile from me myself my heirs Exors. adms. and assigns and from the Just Claim of all persons & persons whatsoever unto the said John Haile his heirs Exors. adms. and assigns forever for Value rec'd as Witness my hand & Seal the fifth day of Sep.r One thousand seven hundred & Eighty nine
 sealed, & Delivered)
 us In the presence of) Benjamin Clark (seal)
 Richard Mitchell)

State S. Carolina) Personally appeared before Zach.a Union County) Bullock one of the Justices for the County aforesaid Benjamin Clark acknowledged the within Instrument of writing for the Use within ment.d and that he hath Received full Satisfaction for the same Given Under my hand and seal this fifth Day September 1789
 Zach.a Bullock J. P.

Recorded the 29 Sep.r 1789.

Union County March 9.th 1787-----

To all Persons concerned herein
 Know ye that I Ann Robinson administrator of Joseph Robinson deceased, placing Especial Trust and confidence in my worthy friend Robert Lusk have and do by these presents constitute and appoint him my true & Lawful attorney for me and in my name to sue for and recover a certain Debt due by Joshua Petty administrator of John Luciels Deceased and he the said Robert Lusk is hereby authorized to take all and every Lawful way and Means to recover the debt aforesaid and all and every acts and things which my said attorney shall do or transact in or about the premises in and will be by me confirmed and ratified In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this 9.th March in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven
 In presence of) Ann Robinson (seal)
 Robert Smith)
 John Montgomery)

State S. Carolina) Know all men by these Presents that Union County) Rachel Ford of aforesaid state & county for and in consideration of the sum of twenty four Pounds twelve

shillings & seven pence sterling to me in hand paid by Cushman Edson Merch. of said place before mentioned the receipt hereof I the Rachel Fore doth hereby acknowledge at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents do bargain sell and deliver have bargained sold and by these presents do bargain sell & Deliver unto said Cushman Edson two beds and furniture one dozen Pewter plates two pewter Basons two pewter Dishes three cows and calves three head of horses viz) a bay Gelden a Brown do Gelden a Brown Gelden a Roan Gelden the whole Crop on the premises one pot and one dutch Oven and Ten head hogs To have and to hold Said property unto said Edson his heirs and assigns to his and their Only Use and behoof forever

and I the

and I the said Rachel Fore do for myself my heirs admrs. and assigns forever warrant and defend above mentioned property unto said Edson his heirs and assigns from any person or persons whatsoever lawfully claiming and demanding in witness hereof I the said Rachel Fore have herunto set my hand & seal this Twenty fifth day July in the year of Our lord One thousand seven hundred and Eighty nine and in the Fourteenth year of American Independancy Signed sealed & Delivered her
in the presence of us } Rachel x Fore (seal)
Obadiah Primier } mark
George Hemming } Archelous Fore (Seal)
John Birdsong }

Recorded the 2.d oct.r 1789--

State S. Carolina) Know all men by these Presents Union County) that I Archelous Fore of the state and County aforesaid for and in consideration of the sum of twenty pounds sterling in hand paid by Cushman Edson Merch. of the aforesaid state & County the receipt hereof I the said Archelous Fore doth hereby acknowledge at and before the sealing & delivering of these presents do bargain sell and deliver unto the said Cushman Edson one sorrel mare three years Old branded thus () with a hart also one Sorrel mare branded with the same One baymare with a Crooked Nee two Rifle Guns & the yearling Heifer marked with a cross and a hole in the Right Ear & a cross in the left To have & to hold said property to the said Edson his heirs Exors. to his and their only use and behoof forever and I the said Archelous Fore for myself my heirs Exors. &c. do forever warrant and defend the above mentioned property him the said Edson his heirs and assigns from any person or persons whatsoever lawfully claiming or demanding in witness hereof I the Archelous Fore have herunto set my hand and seal the second day October in the year of Our lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty nine in the fourteenth year of American Independancy of the United States attests
John Birdsong
John Murrell

Archelous Fore (seal)

Know all men by these presents that I- Edward Goode of the state of North Carolina Rutherford County for divers Good causes me herunto moving do make constitute and appoint my trusty friend Herman Howard of the state of S. Carolina Union County my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name to collect all Debts due unto me from Mark Jackson of the state of S. Carolina and by these presents Granting to my said attorney my sole and full power and authority to take & pursue and follow such legal courses for the recovery receiving and Obtaining of the same as I myself might do or could do were I personally present and Upon the receipt of the same acquaintance and other discharges for me and in my name to make sign seal and deliver as also one or more attorneys ~~for~~ or attorneys under him to-----

Substitute or appoint and again at his pleasure to revoke & further to perform and Execute for me & in my name all and Singular thing or things which shall or may be necessary touching and concerning the premises as fully and Entirely as if I the said Edward Goode in my own person ought or could do in and about the same ratefeling and allowing and confirming whatsoever my said attorney shall lawfully do or cause to be done in and about the Execution of the premises by virtue of these purposes In witness whereof I have herunto set my hand & seal this Seventeenth of Dec.r one thousand seven hundred & Eighty nine and in the fourteenth year of the Independancy of the United States of America Signed sealed & Delivered
in the presence of us } EDw.D Goode (seal)
Thos. Brandon }
Thomas Crosby } Recorded the 28.th Dec.r 1789--

Know all Men by these presents that I. Isaac Brooks of Chatham County & State of North Carolina have for sundry Good causes nominate & appoint and by these presents make nominate and appoint William Birdsong my true and lawful attorney to demand and receive in my own name and in my

my Use and behoof Giving and by these presents Granting to my said attorney my sole and full power and authority to commence and prosecute any suit or suits at law or Equity for the recovery or receiving and Obtaining and from James Terrell a certain negro fellow named Jack which negro Jack he the said James Terrell unlawfully detains from me the said Isaac Brooks and I do hereby authorize William Birdsong my attorney to transact ~~either~~ in my behalf to bring suit Execute and Do for me and in my name whatsoever may be necessary---Touching and concerning the same as fully & Entirely as I myself might or could do were I personally present for which this shall sufficiently Indemnify in witness whereof I have herunto set my hand and seal the 2.d day November 1787

Witness } Isaac Brooks (seal)
John Murrell } State S. Carolina)
Saml. Murrell } Union County) Personally
appeared, John Murrell & Saml. Murrell before me and made Oath as the Law Directs that they did see Isaac Brooks sign & Seal the within power of attorney to William Birdsong sworn to before me this Eleventh day of Novr. 1787
Thos. Blasingame J. P. John Murrell
Saml. Murrell

The appraisement Bill		£	0	d.
of the Estate of William Greer Deceased		10	"	"
To one Grey horse-----		10	"	"
to 2 pr. Chas. 2 collars one spreader one		1	"	"
clevis Two Flw Bridles-----		1	"	"
One hatchet one drawing knife two hoes				
one Bell one auger one peice of steel a				
parcel of nails & old Iron tools one rattock		16	"	"
One axe one Old Shovel-----		5	"	"
One Old shear & Coultter 1-----		5	"	"
Three cows 2 calves one yearling heifer		18	"	8
Two hogs-----		14	19	8
amt. carried over-----		14	19	8

amt brought over-----	14	19	8
1 Pewter Dish Four tins a parcel of stone			
were one coffee mills with other small articles	3	"	"
two old Bibles one psalm Book	15	"	"
One Iron Oven one pot & hocks	7	"	"
one spile mortar one small pot one stan of Irons	12	"	6
one small wheale one case of bottles	15	"	"
1 case pistols	1	"	8
one womans saddle and Bridle	3.10	"	"
one bed & furniture			
one bed Quilt one blanket one bolster and			
pillar case	10	"	"

to cash
Given Under Our hands
this 7.th Dec.r 1789.

Thomas Vance
Wm. McJunkin

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S.o.Carolina) Dec.r 17th. 1789.
Union County) This day Thomas Vance & William McJunkin personally came before me and being appointed appraisers of the Estate of the late Dec.d William Greer made oath as law directs that they will Justly and truly appraise and ascertain the value of the said Estate viz all that shall be produced to them by the administrator and an Inventory of the same produce to the administrator Certified from their hands sworn before me Date above Written
Thos. Vance
Wm. Kennedy J.P. William McJunkin

Know all men by these Presents that I Daniel Jackson of the state of S.o.Carolina Union County have bargained sold & by these presents. Do sell & Deliver in plain and open market to Col.o Thomas Brandon in Security for forty pounds five shillings sterling all my household Furniture consisting of beds pots pewter chests tables & stock of Cattle six cows and calves part a cross in left year half moon & slit the Right Ear & part a cross in the right Ear 2 nicks and left ear one nick sixteen head sheep part marked, with a cross in the right ear two ricks (one Under the left, sixteen head hogs some marked one bay Gildan Branded thus T & on high thigh about fifteen hands high also a Black mare Branded on high thigh thus S. & Shoulder also one Black not Branded one sorrel Geldin 4 years old Branded high thigh thus R & also High beehives, which described property I do hereby sell and deliver unto the said Thomas Brandon for the above sum of forty pounds Five Shillings on the following conditions that if said Danl. Jackson does pay the above sum of forty pounds five shillings in two years from this date- the property to be delivered by said Thomas Brandon to said Jackson again at payment of the last part & parcel of the said sum of forty pounds five shillings and on fairior of the payment the same to be and finally to remain in Good to all intents and purposes and lastly that he the said Danl. Jackson does now acknowledge he has rec.d full satisfaction for all the within Goods & Chattles by the said Col.o Brandon as being indebted the above sum of forty pounds five Shillings and will forever warrant Each and every of the said household furniture of every kind cattle sheep hogs mares horses clear of all Incumbrance whatsoever to him the said Col.o Thomas Brandon by delivering One mare in Lein of the Whole at the Sealing & Delivering hereof Witness my

hand

hand and seal this 13.th day July 1789-

In the presence of Us Danl. Jackson (seal)
John Brandon) State S.o.Carolina)
Christo.r Brandon) Union County) This day
came before me Hugh Means a Justice for said county John
& Christopher Brandon & made oath as law Directs that they
saw Danl. Jackson sign & deliver the within Bill sell
unto Col.o Thos. Brandon for the Use & purposes within
mentioned sworn to before me this 15.th July 1789
Hugh Means J. P. Jno Brandon
Christopher Brandon

The Property in this Bill sell is also pledged & obliged for the payment of the following sums of money to Wm. Shaw which Col.o Brandon has assumed to pay that is to say
to the amt. of a Bond. dated 28th March 1789 & 18. 2.11
Interest from the Date
amt. of a note dated 26.th Dec.r 1787. 12. 0. 0
Interest from the 1.st Dec.r 1788
Resides Interest

30. 2.11

Recorded the 29.th
Dec.r 1789-

Danl. Jackson
V Shaw

Union County) Know all men by these Presents that
State S.o.Carolina) I John Sanders of the County & State
aforesaid carpenter for and in consideration of the sum of
fifty six pounds Current money well and truly paid by
Lewis Sanders of the County & State aforesaid the receipt
whereof is hereby acknowledged he the said John Sanders hath
bargained & sold and in open market delivered unto the said
Lewis Sanders and his heirs forever the

The Following articles that is to say one Scuebold Horse
about six years Old also one bay horse about twelve years
Old two cows & Calves two feather Beds & furniture two dutch
Cowns two Ironpots & dundrys carpenters Tools & plantation Tools
one old waggon & Geers one pr. cheer wheels & Whipsaws &
Three hundred Weight cotton Towels & to hold the said articles
to the Use of the said Lewis Sanders and his heirs forever
and the said John Sanders doth hereby agree to warrant &
forever defend the above mentioned articles from the Just
Claim of all manner of person or persons whatsoever laying
any Just claim on Title thereto in witness whereof the said
John Sanders hath hereunto set his hand and seal the
30..th Day Nov.r 1789- John Sanders (seal)

Teste
Jas Terrell
his
Henry K Gibson
mark
his
Nathan Gibson
mark

Recorded the 29.th Dec.r
1789

Know all men by these Presents that I- John Flinton of the
state of North Carolina Orangeburgh County heir at law to
Edward Flinton Dec.d have remised released and forever
Quit claimd and by these presents for me my heirs Exors.
and adms. remise release and forever Quit claim unto Thomas
Flinton Rich.d Jenkins Danl. Price & Danl. Comer their heirs
Exors. adms. and each and every of them all and all manner
of action & actions causes and causes of action suits Bills
bonds writings obligations rents dues duty reckonings
accounts sum & sums of money Judgments Executions Quarrels
controversies tresspasses damages and demands whatsoever both
at law and in Equity or otherwise whatsoever which against
them the said Thomas Flinton Rich.d Jenkins Daniel Price
Daniel Comer which I ever had nor have Over myself my heirs
Exors. and adms. shall or may claim claiming or demand.
for or by reason of my

see /any/ act matter cause or thing from the bginning of the
world, to this day of the date of these presents in witness
whereof the said John Flinton heir at law to Edward Flinton
have hereunto put my hand & seal this twenty eighth day of
November one thousand seven hundred and Eighty nine and in
the fourteenth year of the American Independance of the
United States of America

Teste- John Flinton (seal)
Thos. Brandon J. P. }
Richard Powell }

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Henderson of
the state of S.o.Carolina York County an held & firmly bound
unto W. John McCool of Union County in the penal sum of one
hundred pounds Sterling which payment will and truly to be
made and done I bind myself and my heirs Exors. adms.
and assigns and each and every of them firmly by these
presents in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
this twentieth day of March in the year of our Lord one
thousand seven hundred and Eighty nine and in the Fourteenth
year of American Independancy
The condition of the above obligation is such that if the
above bound Thomas Henderson his- heirs and assigns shall
well and truly on or before the twenty first day of Novr. next

61- Ensueing make a good and lawful Right and title to a certain plantation or tract of Land lying and being in the state aforesaid in Garden District two hundred and twenty seven acres situate on the north side of Broad River Chester County being a tract conveyed by John Montgomery to said Thomas Henderson then the above Obligation shall be Void or Otherwise remain in full force &

Virtue

62- Virtue Signed sealed and Delivered In the Presence of
Seth Alday }
John Lacketure }
 } Thos. Henderson (seal)
 } State S. Carolina)
 } Union County) Personally
appeared before me Seth Alday and made oath as law directs that he did see Thomas Henderson sign seal & Deliver the within Bond to John McColl and that John Lacketure was also a Subscribing Witness
sworn to the 30.th Day Dec.r 1789.
before me
John Birdsong J. P. }
 } Seth Alday

Know all men by these presents that I Adam McColl of Chester County and State of S. Carolina hath made ordained constitute and appointed and ~~make~~ by these presents to make ordain constitute and appoint my trusty friend John McColl of the state aforesaid and County of Union my lawful attorney for me and in my name to enter into upon all and Singular the lands & tenements to me belonging or in any wise appertaining and belonging by the last will and testament of my father in law James love Dec'd to me and my wife Mary Daughter of the said James love Dec'd and for me and in my name to demand sue for and receive & of-and-in-my-name-to-~~be~~ if need to bargain sell and dispose of said lands as above mentioned to me sign seal and deliver sufficient titles to the above wild lands by the said James love Deceased with all the rights and members to the said land belonging or in any wise appertaining thereunto any purchaser or purchasers Giving and Granting unto my said attorney all my power and strength in law to act and do whatsoever may be needful and necessary to be done in and about the above mentioned premises for me and in my name to do Execute and perform as fully Lawfully apply to all intents and purposes as I might or could do were I myself personally present or as if the matter required more special authority one or more attorneys under him for the purposes aforesaid to make & constitute at pleasure to revoke ratifying allowing whatsoever my said attorney shall

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Shall Lawfully do in and about the premises by Virtue hereof in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 19.th Day of Nov.r Anno. Dom. One thousand seven hundred and Eighty Eight and of the sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America
Signed Sealed
In the presence of Us
Thos. Brandon }
Jas. Barron }
 } Adam McColl (seal)
 } State S. Carolina)
 } Union County) Personally
for said County and being duly sworn as a Justice sayeth he was personally present and did see Adam McColl sign seal and deliver the within power of att'o to John McColl and that he with Jas Barron was subscribing witnesses to the same sworn to and Subscribed this 19th. Nov.r 1789-
Chas. Sims J. P. }
 } Thomas Brandon

This Indenture made the fifteenth day Feb.y One Thousand seven hundred and ninety and in the Fourteenth year of American Independence Between Isaac Edmondson of Union County in the state of S. Carolina of the one part and Jacob Duckett of Laurence County in the state aforesaid of the other part consideration of the sum of five hundred

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pounds Sterling for which the said Jacob Duckett stands bound with the said Isaac Edmondson unto Caleb Edmondson the father of him the said Isaac Edmondson for the support Maintaining of him the said Caleb Edmondson during his Natural Life hath Granted bargained sold alined Encofod conveyed and confirmed and by these presents doth Grant bargain sell alien Encofod convey & confirm unto him the said Jacob Duckett all that plantation and tract of
Land 1459841

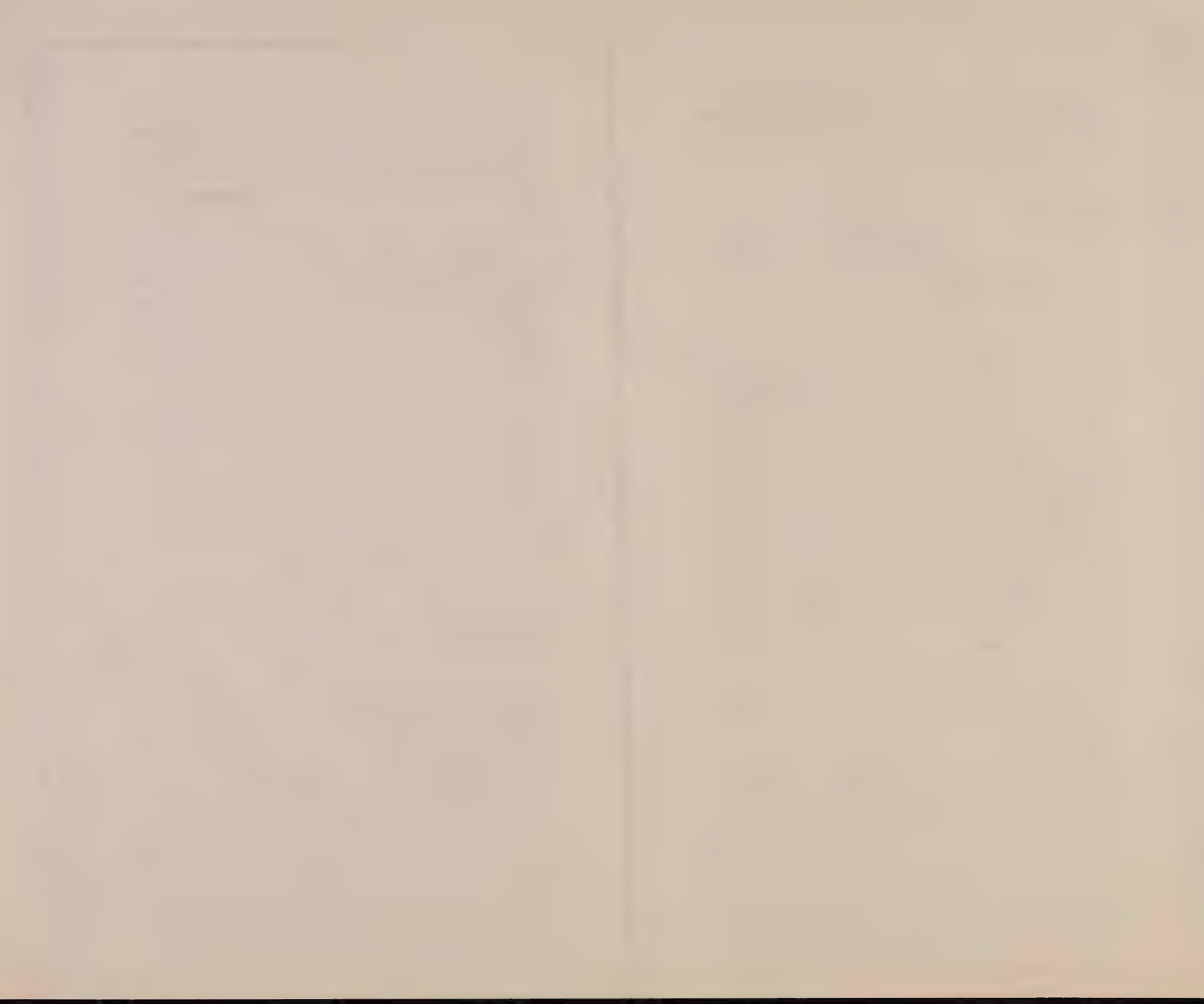
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Land whereon the said Isaac Edmondson now dwells containing five hundred fifty acres on the north side of Enorce river in Union County aforesaid and also all the stock of horses kind cattle Sheep and swine likewise all the household Goods and Utensils of husbandry at present the property of him the said Isaac Edmondson Together with all and Singular the houses buildings fields orchards meadows Pastures woods waters paths passages liberties privileges profits hereditaments Rights members & appertinances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining and the reversion or reversions remainder or remainders rents Issues and Services thereof and of every part and parcel thereof To have and to hold the said plantation or tract of five hundred & fifty acres of Land with the appertinances thereunto belonging Together with all Singular the Goods & Chatties above mentioned unto him the said Jacob Duckett his heirs and assigns to the only proper Use and behoof of him the said Jacob Duckett his heirs & assigns forever and it is further concluded Agreed by & between the said Isaac Edmondson and the said Jacob Duckett that If the said Isaac Edmondson his heirs Exors. or adms. shall well and truly comply with perform and fulfil the condition of the bond wherein the said Jacob Duckett stands bound with him the said Isaac Edmondson for the support of his father the said Caleb Edmondson for and during his Natural Life that then his present Indenture shall cease determine and be Utterly Void any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding In witness whereof the said Isaac Edmondson hath to these presents set his hand and affixed his seal the day & year first above written
Signed sealed & Delivered Inpresence
of us John Pearson } Isaac Edmondson (seal)
 } his
Jno. Townsend sen } State S. Carolina Union County.
 } James Townsend Personally
James Townsend } appeared before me Joseph McJunkin Esq. one of the Justices for said County and on his Solemn affirmation declared that he was perscn Present and did see the within named Isaac Edmondson

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Edmondson sign seal and as his act and Deed deliver the within Mortgage unto the within named Jacob Duckett for the use and intent and purpose therein mentioned and that John Pearson and Townsend were likewise present and did subscribe their names as witnesses thereto Together with the Depoant affirmed before me the 17.th February in the year of Our lord one thousand seven hundred & ninety.
Joseph McJunkin JP James Townsend
recorded. 21.st Feb.y 1790.

Know all men by these presents that I Isaac Edmondson of the state of S. Carolina and County of Union for divers Good causes & Considerations me hereunto moving have hereby made authorized & appointed and by these presents do appoint Jesse Dodd of the aforesaid place my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name and to my Use to ask demand sue for and recover of divers persons in the aforesaid State all sums and sums of money now due to me and my account whatever and to prosecute a suit now commenced against me by Robert Kurrell of the state of Pennsylvania and to take all lawful ways and means in my name or other ways for recovering thereof by attachment arrest distress or other ways & to agree & compound for the same and acquitances or Other sufficient Discharges for the same for me and in my name to make sale & delivery of all my Estate both real



personally and to do all lawful acts and things concerning the premises as fully in every respect as if I were myself personally present and to every respect as if I were myself one or more attorneys under his name and as attorney for the purpose aforesaid to make and at his pleasure to revoke ratifying and allowing all and whatsoever my said attorney shall in my name lawfully do or cause to be done in and about the premises by virtue of these

Presents

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Presents In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
& Seal this 26.th Day Feb.y. 1790

Signed Sealed & Delivered
In the presence of Us

~~Walters-Hig~~

William X Ray
mark

his
Caleb C Edmondson
mar-

did see Isaac Edmondson sign & seal and deliver the within power of attorney to Jesse Dod. and that he did also see Caleb Edmondson witness the same with himself sworn to the 16 th march 1790 before me

John Birdsong J. P.

In the Name of God Amen the Fifteenth day April 1770
I Joseph Jolly Capt. of ninety six district living on
Prowns Creek being sick in body of Good and Sound memory
thanks be to almighty God for it Calling to mind the
uncertain Estate of this life that all flesh must yield
to God when he pleases to Call; I do hereby make
constitute and Ordain and declare this to be my Last will
and Testament in the manner and form following revoking
and annulling by these presents all Testaments and
Testaments wills or wills heretofore made by me or
~~by me and my last will such a place as it shall please~~
~~my executors hereafter for my past life or in now for~~
Declared either by word or writing this only to be taken
for my Last will and Testament and no other and first
I Give and Command my Soul to almighty God my Saviour
and my body to be buried in such a place as it shall please
my Executors hereafter mentioned to appoint & now for the
lands debts as it hath pleased God above my deserts to
bestow upon me to order give & dispose in the manner and
form following that is to Say, first I Give and bequeath to
my well beloved wife Mary her full share - /Third/ of
his having Except his land and

and her living on the land during her widowhood ---
next I Give and bequeath my Land to my Son John when he
comes of age Likewise a Good horse, and Saddle and he
Gives and my coat & Jacket to my Son John likewise and Two
after my decease Thirds is taken out that all the remainder
of my Estate Except the articles above mentioned be
Equally divided among the rest of my children Likewise
Order all my Just and lawful debts & Legally brought in
be complied with and paid Like-wise I constitute ordain
and appoint Maj: Thomas Brandon Ben: Jolly and my wife
Mary to be Guardians to see that Justice be done according
to the above will and Testament Given Under my hand and seal
this 5. th of April 1770
Witness present.

Witness present
Rich. A. Cruce
John Brandon
James Logan

John Erndon James Rogan } April 25th 1970. This day
appeared before me they being the Three Witnesses of the
within and being duly sworn on the holy Evangelist of
almighty God made oath that they were present and did see
the within Joseph Jolly Capt. I read Sign seal Deliver the

Joseph Jolly (seal)

S. Carolina Ninety Six District
April 25. th 1770. This d

Richard Cruce personally
of the Three Witnesses of the

on the holy Evangelist of
they were present and did see
t loc.d sign seal & deliver the

within will to be his last will and Testament Sworn to
before me date above written
Wm Kennedy J.P.

Wm Kennedy J.P.

John Brandon

James Rogers

Richard C. Cruse

Recorded the 22 march 1790

State of S.C. Carolina

I William Parr of the state of S. Carolina and County of Union for and in consideration of two pounds Sterling have remised released and forever quit Claimed and by these presents do for me my heirs Exors. admrs. and assigns remise release and forever absolutely quit Claim unto Elias Hollingsworth Esqr. of the County of Newberry and State aforesaid his heirs Exors. admrs. and assigns one tract or parcel of Land containing ninety nine acres be the same more or less Situate on the south Side of Broad river lying and being in Union County

and State aforesaid it being part of a larger Tract of Land Originally Granted to Thomas Tramel by the right Hon^{ble} Lord Chas. C. Ponape in November One thousand Seven hundred & Sixty four butting and bounding as follows Viz. beginning at a broken Top Water Oak on the bank of broad river and running Thence N. 89. 40 W. 10 chs. and one Link to a stake on Daniel Tramel's line Thence S. o 16 W. 10 chains 41 Links to a post Oak Land. Tramel's Corner thence N. o 80 W. 20 chs. and 41 Links to S. t P. Two black Jacks 3 x on loves back Line thence S. o 6 20 P. 13 chs. to a corner thence S. o 75 E. 45 chs. & 30 -links to bank of broad river thence up the various courses of the said river to the beginning Together with all woods under woods timber and timber trees & also ponds fishing waters and whatsoever profits commodities appurtenances hereditaments and further and all manner of actions suits writings and rights of Dover Obligatorys ententes Quarrels-- controversies Trespasses damages and demands whatsoever both in law and Equity or otherwise howsoever which may come against the said Elias Hollingsworth Esqr. his heirs exors. adors. and assigns I ever had now have or which I my heirs Exors. adors. or assigns shall or may have claim challenge and demand for or by reason of any matter Clause or thing whatsoever from from the date of the said Thomas Tramel's Grant in respect of said land and premisses to the end of the world in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal the Tenth day of Nov. r in the year of our lord one thousand seven hundred & Eighty nine and in the Sovereignty and Independance of the United States of America the Fourteenth.

Signed Sealed & Delivered in presence of William Farr (seal)
 Bern. d Glenn } - said. last on the day and year within
 Joseph Coleman } Written Quiet and peaceable possession
 Humpy Bates } Severy and Sassin was had and taken
 by the within named Wm. Farr Esq. and by him delivered
 to within named Elias Hollingsworth Esq. according to the
 true intent and meaning of the within writing
 In presence of Us
 Bern. d Glenn --- Wm Farr (seal)
 Joseph Coleman, Humpy Bates-

Union County } I know all men by these presents that
Six District } I Sponsor Brunet of the county and
District aforesaid Planter for and in consideration of the
sum of four hundred pounds sterling to me in hand paid by
William and Danl. Brunet in the County aforesaid whereof
~~I~~ ~~William~~ ~~Brunet~~ ~~in~~ - I do hereby acknowledge the receipt
and myself there-with fully and Entirely Satisfied have
bargained Sold Set Over and delivered and by these presents
in plain and open market according to the just and due form
of law in that case made and provided do bargain set over
and deliver unto the said William and Daniel Brunet Six
Negroes To wit Davey Lem, Call, nine old Cete, Young Cete

also one horse Called Long Tail with fourteen head of Cattle with Other goods and Chattles &c. To have and to hold the said bargained premises Unto the said William and Danl. Brummet their Exors. adms. or assigns to the only proper Use and behoof of the said William and Danl. Brummet for myself my /their/ heirs. Exors. and adms. and assigns forever and I the said Spencer Brummet for myself my heirs Exors. and adms. the said bargained premises Unto the said Wm. and Danl. Brummet their heirs adms. and assigns. against all and all manner of persons shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents in witness whereof Together with the delivery of the bargained Premises I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal this Twentieth day October in the year of Our lord 1786

Signed Sealed & Delivered
In the presence of } Spencer Brummet (Seal)
Wadlington }
Chas. Littleton } South Carolina } Personally
Came before me a Justice of Said County Charles Littleton and made oath that he did See Spencer Brummet Sign Seal and deliver the within Bill Sall Unto William and Danl. Brummet as his set & Deed for the purpose within mentioned and that
he-

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he did See William Wadlington sign his name as a Subscribing Witness at the same time Sworn to and Subscribed this 22.d day March 1790

Joseph McJunkin J. P. Charles Littleton
Recorded the 22.nd March 1790.

Know all men by these presents who it may Concern That I Spencer Brummet of the state of South Carolina and County of Union for and in consideration of the sum of Fifty pounds Current money of South Carolina to me in hand paid by William Brummet of the state and County aforesaid the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge have bargained sold and by these presents do according to a cur form of law do bargain and sell Unto the said William Brummet Three Negroes as follows. Viz. One negro French named Grace one ditto named Levisa and one ditto French named Alice and one boy were with a blaze face To have and to hold the said bargained premises Unto the said William Brummet his heirs Exors. adms. and assigns against all persons shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents in witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal this Twentieth day March, in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety and in the Sovereignty and Independance of the United States of America the Fourteenth

Signed Sealed & Delivered }
In the presence of } the marker
Bern.d Glenn }
Wm. Martin } S.o Carolina }
Came before me a Justice of s.d. County Wm. Martin and made oath that he did See Spencer Brummet sign seal and deliver the within Bill Sall unto William Brummet for the purpose within mentioned and did see Bern.d Glenn sign his name as a Subscribing Witness Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 22.d day March 1790

Joseph McJunkin J. P. Wm. Martin
Recorded the 22.nd March 1790.

The State of S..O Carolina

Know all men by these Presents that I Elias Hollingsworth Esq. of the state of South Carolina and County of Union for and in consideration of Two pounds Sterling have remised released and forever quit claimed and by these presents do for me my heirs Exors. adms. and assigns remise release and forever absolutely quit claim Unto William Parr Esq. of the County of Union and State aforesaid his heirs Exors. adms. and assigns one tract or parcel of land containing Forty six acres be the same more or less Situate lying and being in Union County and State of South Carolina it being part of a Larger tract of Land Originally Granted to William Love

by the hon. bl Mathew Rowan Esqr. president of North Carolina &c on the third day Sep. 1753, butting and bounding as follows Viz. beginning at a Stake S.O 80. 40 E. 30 chs. 30 Links to Trumels Line P a stake thence S.O 10 W. 18 chs. 41 Links Post Oak Trumels corner Tree thence N. 80 W. 20 chs. 41 Links to a stake P Two black black Jacks 3 & on loves back line thence N. S.. 20 E. with Loves back line 14 chs. 15 Links To Beginning Together with all wood underwoods Timber and Timber Trees lakes ponds fishing water and water courses profits commodities apperteanances Hereditaments whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining and further all and all manner of actions suits writings and rights of Power Obligations Extents Quarrels Controversies Trespasses Damages and demands whatsoever both in Law and Equity or otherwise whatsoever which may come against the said William Parr Esq. his heirs Exors. adms. and assigns I ever had now have or which I my heirs Exors. adms. or assigns shall or may have claim challenge or demand for or by reason of any matter Clause or thing whatsoever from the date of the said William Loves Grant to the end of the world in respect of said Land and premises in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Tenth day November in the year of Our lord one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty

Eighty nine and in the Sovereignty and Independance of the United States of America the Fourteenth
Signed Sealed & Delivered } Elias Hollingsworth (seal)
In the presence of us }
Bern.d Glenn } Memorandum that on the Day and
Joseph Coleman } year within written Quiet and
Rumpley Bates } peaceable Possession livery and Seison was had & Taken by the within named Elias Hollingsworth Esq. and by him delivered to within named William Parr Esqr. according to the true intent and meaning of the within Writing
In presence of }
Bern.d Glenn } Elias Hollingsworth (Seal)
Joseph Coleman } recorded the 24 March 1790.
Rumpley Bates }

S. Carolina Union County

To all to whom These presents shall come Jesse Dodd of the state and County aforesaid send Greetings Whereas I the said said Jesse Dodd by my bonds or Obligations bearing date even with these presents became hold and firmly bound unto Andrew Torrence of the State and County aforesaid in the penal sum of Forty Thousand pounds of Inspected Tobacco with Conditions there under written for the payment for the sum of Twenty Thousand pounds of Tobacco to be delivered at Mr. Darbys Store Inspected by such persons Or persons as he at that time was appointed for the Inspection of his Tobacco Ingeneral unto the said Andrew Torrence his heirs Exors. adms. or assigns on or before the first day of Dec. 1792 as in and by the said bonds or Obligations and conditions thereunder Written Relation therunto being had doth now more fully and at large appear ** Know ye that the said Jesse Dodd for the better securing the payment of the said Sum of Twenty Thousand pounds of Tobacco unto the said Andrew Torrence his heirs Exors. or assigns Together with Lawful Interest for the Same

On or

on or before the first day December as aforesaid have bargained and sold and by these presents do bargain & sell Unto the said Andrew Torrence all that plantation or tract of Land containing Three hundred acres on a ridge Between Tiger and Moore rivers bounded on all sides by vacant Land formerly Granted unto William Bonds by a grant bearing date the 24.th day August An. o Dom. one thousand seven hundred and seventy and also five negroes viz. "Gonlouth Joe, Cloo, and her children To have and to hold the said plantation or tract of Land and negroes aforesaid unto the said Andrew Torrence his heirs Exors. adms. and

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assigns forever provided always Nevertheless that that if the said Jesse Dodd his heirs Exors. or adms. Shall and do will and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the Said Andrew Torrence his heirs Exors. adms. or assigns the full and Just sum of Twenty thousand pounds of Tobacco as aforesaid on the first day Decr 1792 according to the intent and meaning of the bonds and conditions aforesaid and those presents together with Lawful Interest for the same then this Deed of bargain and sell and all and every Clause article and thing therein contained shall cease determine and be Utterly void and of none effect any Thing herein before contained to be contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding & it is hereby declared by and between the said parties & the said Jesse Dodd for himself his heirs Exors. and adms. do covenant promise and agree to and with the Said Andrew Torrence his heirs Exors. adms. and assigns by these presents that if default shall happen to be made of or in payment of the said Sum of Twenty Thousand pounds of Tobacco on or before the first day of December 1792 aforesaid according to the true intent and meaning of the said conditions & at then and in such case it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Andrew Torrence his heirs Exors. adms. assigns attorneys or agents from time to time and at all times hereafter peaceably and quietly to enter into and take said plantation or tract of land and also the said negroes of the Said Jesse Dodd and take the same into Custody

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Custody and possession and the same to hold and detain to be his own use and behoof, as his own property Goods and Chattels from thenceforth and forever or the same to Sell and dispose at will and pleasure return the Over Plus if any there be after payments of the said Sum of Twenty Thousand pounds of Tobacco with Lawful Interest and charges unto the said Jesse Dodd adms. or assigns in witness whereof the said Jesse Dodd have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 25.d day January in the year of Our lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety

Witnesses
Archer Howard } Jesse Dodd (Seal)
 } S. Carolina } Personally
 } Union County } appear came
Nancey Howard } Archer Howard before me Thomas
 } Brandon one of the Justices of
 } said County and made Oath as the Law directs and sayeth
he saw Jesse Dodd sign seal and deliver the within Deed
and he did see Nancey Howard witness the same with him Self
Sworn to this 25.th day March 1790
Thomas Brandon J. P. Archer Howard
Recorded 25.th March 1790.

In the name God amen I William Bullock of Union County in the state of S. Carolina being in perfect health of body but of sound mind and memory blessed be God for the same do make publick and Declare this my last will and Testament revoking all other wills formerly by me made first committing my Soul to God I Give and bequeath my whole Estate in the following manner. Item I Give and bequeath to my Brother in law Nicholas Waters all my word wordly worldly Estate be the same in what nature or property Soever to him his heirs and assigns forever and also constitute him the Said Nicholas Waters Executor of this my Last will and Testament in

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In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and fixed my Seal & is Sixteenth day March one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Seven in presence of

Wm. Williams }
John Palmore } William Bullock (Seal)
 } his
Ephraim Bucket }
 } mark

To all Men whom Shall come Greeting Know ye that I Reuben Landrim of the County of Union and State of South Carolina for and in Consideration of the sum of seventy pounds Sterling money to me in hand paid by Obadiah Prout of the

County and State aforesaid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have Given Granted bargained and Sold and by these presents do Give Grant bargain and Sell & Deliver unto the Said Obadiah Prout One negro Woman Slave named Senlea Twelve years old and I the said Reuben Landrim do covenant with the said Obadiah Prout that I will the said Slave to the said Obadiah Prout his heirs heirs against the property claim and demand of myself and all other persons whatsoever shall and will by these presents warrant and forever defend as Witness my hand and Seal the 6..th Day February 1790

Witnesses
Nicholas Keating } Reuben Landrim (Seal)
Danl. Palmer } Recorded the 28..th June 1790-----

Know all men by these presents that I Joseph Edmondson of the District of Ninety Six in the province of South Carolina am holden and firmly bound unto Hosea Holcomb of the province & District aforesaid in the full and Just Sum of One hundred pounds current Lawful money of the province aforesaid to the Which payment well and Truly to be made unto the Said Hosea Holcomb his certain attorneys administrators or assigns I do bind and myself my heirs Executors administrators and every of them firmly by these presents sealed with my Seal and Dated this Twice Day of August.

